

9.(Amended) The display unit **according to claim 7**, wherein

A2 the memory has two or more image data memory areas storing the display data per frame, and during the display section displays image based on the display data stored in one of the image data memory areas, the display section stores the display data received by the communication section at other image data memory areas.

12.(Amended) The communication circuit **according to claim 10**, wherein

the first receiving section and the second receiving section convert inputted serial communication data into parallel communication data and receive it; and

the first transmitting section and the second transmitting section convert inputted parallel communication data into serial communication data and transfer it.

A3 13.(Amended) A display unit having the communication circuit **recited in claim**

10, further comprising:

a display section constituted by at least one light emitting elements;

a communication circuit communicating display data;

a memory storing the display data for at least one frame based on the display data received by the communication circuit; and

a driving section driving each of the light emitting elements in the display section.

14.(Amended) A terminal adaptor having the communication circuit **recited in claim 10**, wherein the communication circuit is capable to communicate with other terminal adaptors connected serially, the terminal adaptor further comprising:

a memory storing communication data received by the communication circuit;

and

a communication section transferring the communication data stored in the memory to other terminals.

Kindly add the following new claims:

15.(NEW) The lighting apparatus **according to claim 2**, wherein communication at the upper communication line employs higher speed communication than communication at the lower communication line.

16.(NEW) The lighting apparatus **according to claim 3**, wherein communication at the upper communication line employs higher speed communication than communication at the lower communication line.

17.(NEW) The lighting apparatus **according to claim 4**, wherein communication at the upper communication line employs higher speed communication than communication at the lower communication line.

18.(NEW) The display unit **according to claim 8**, wherein the memory has two or more image data memory areas storing the display data per frame, and during the display section displays image based on the display data

stored in one of the image data memory areas, the display section stores the display data received by the communication section at other image data memory areas.

19.(NEW) The communication circuit **according to claim 11**, wherein
the first receiving section and the second receiving section convert inputted serial communication data into parallel communication data and receive it; and
the first transmitting section and the second transmitting section convert inputted parallel communication data into serial communication data and transfer it.

20.(NEW) A display unit having the communication circuit **recited in claim 11**, further comprising:

a display section constituted by at least one light emitting elements;
a communication circuit communicating display data;
a memory storing the display data for at least one frame based on the display data received by the communication circuit; and
a driving section driving each of the light emitting elements in the display section.

21.(NEW) A display unit having the communication circuit **recited in claim 12**, further comprising:

a display section constituted by at least one light emitting elements;
a communication circuit communicating display data;
a memory storing the display data for at least one frame based on the display data received by the communication circuit; and
a driving section driving each of the light emitting elements in the display section.

22.(NEW) A terminal adaptor having the communication circuit **recited in claim 11**, wherein the communication circuit is capable to communicate with other terminal adaptors connected serially, the terminal adaptor further comprising:

a memory storing communication data received by the communication circuit;

and

a communication section transferring the communication data stored in the memory to other terminals.

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23.(NEW) A terminal adaptor having the communication circuit **recited in claim 12**, wherein the communication circuit is capable to communicate with other terminal adaptors connected serially, the terminal adaptor further comprising:

a memory storing communication data received by the communication circuit;

and

a communication section transferring the communication data stored in the memory to other terminals.
